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Offered by:

REP. BACCHIOCHI, 52nd Dist.

To: Subst. House Bill No. **7025**

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"AN ACT CONCERNING CIVIL PREPAREDNESS."

- After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and internal references accordingly:
- "Sec. 501. Subsection (a) of section 28-7 of the general statutes, as amended by section 2 of public act 07-11, is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2007*):
 - (a) Each town or city of the state shall establish a local organization for civil preparedness in accordance with the state civil preparedness plan and program, provided any two or more towns or cities may, with the approval of the commissioner, establish a joint organization for civil preparedness. The authority of such local or joint organization for civil preparedness shall not supersede that of any regularly organized police or fire department. No town or city of the state shall be eligible for any state or federal benefits under this chapter until such town or city has submitted to the commissioner an emergency plan of operations approved by the local director of civil preparedness and the

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16 local chief executive which is subsequently approved by the

- 17 commissioner. Such emergency plan of operations shall not be
- 18 approved by the commissioner unless the commissioner determines
- 19 that the plan proposes strategies that address all the activities and
- 20 measures of civil preparedness identified in subdivision (4) of section
- 21 28-1. Each town or city of the state shall consider whether to provide
- 22 for the nonmilitary evacuation of livestock and horses in such plan."